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New Fountain Notes.

While Ben de Grodt and family were away from home last Saturday, their house was entered and a new winchester, coat and some jewelry were stolen. The thief, a Mexican, was a few days later arrested and left in the charge of Otto Mumme, while Mr. Grodt and an officer went in quest of another Mexican who was working in a nearby field. The prisoner seeing that Mr. Mumme was unarmed broke to run and made his escape. He had not been recaptured up to Tuesday evening, but it is supposed that he will soon.

Rev. L. Hoefer, who had been pastor of the Quibi Lutheran Church for the past two years, shipped his household goods and left for Brenham as pastor of the Lutheran Church there. Charles Senne and family left New Fountain last week, they having moved to Brackettville, where Mr. Senne will take charge of a dairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schlenz, Mrs. Alfred Schlenz, Mrs. Willie Poshier, Mr. Willie Schmidt and sister, Miss Ernestina, visited the Dallas Fair last week. They report having had a most enjoyable time.

Louis Niechenhoefer and family returned Monday from San Antonio, where they had been visiting relatives and, also, sight-seeing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moehring and daughter, Miss Josie, were here from the Lower Hondo Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Carolina Poshier.

Willie Helmke was here from San Antonio Sunday visiting homefolks and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Helmke left last Wednesday for Fredericksburg to attend the Annual District Conference of the German Methodist Church South, and also, to visit relatives.

John Muennink and daughter, Miss Lily, also attended the conference at Fredericksburg last week. They returned Tuesday accompanied by Miss Muennink's grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Kothmann and daughter, Miss Anna, of Llano, who will visit relatives here for a while.

Mrs. Henry Hartmann is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Anton Folk, at Thousand Acre.

Mrs. Fritz Stiegler left Saturday for San Antonio to visit relatives.

Mrs. Hubert Burger returned last week from San Antonio where she had been for medical attention.

Several from here attended a surprise party at the upper Hondo Saturday night.

Henry F. Poshier went to the Lower Hondo today to get his mother, who had been visiting relatives there for a few days.

Fritz Stiegler motored to San Antonio this (Wednesday) morning.

New Fountain, Texas, Oct. 27, 1915.

Good Bye.

To the Good People of Hondo:
It sometimes happens that the best of friends have to part, caused by circumstances that we can't control. I am leaving Hondo and returning to my old home in Guadalupe county, where I have lived for more than sixty years. In leaving Hondo I would like to shake hands with and say good-bye to the many acquaintances I have made during my short stay here, but my arm is too short to reach them all, but through the columns of Anvil Herald I bid you good-bye. I find Hondo a lovely place in which to live, and my social intercourse with the people of Hondo during my short stay here has been all that heart could desire. I love the country surrounding Hondo to be the finest farming country I have seen in West Texas, and it is the prettiest country for automobile riding I have ever traveled over. I am glad to come to Hondo; the thoughts of it will be pleasant to me wherever I go and I shall always have a kind word to speak for Hondo and its good people.
Good-bye,
J. W. HARRIS.

Uvalde vs. Hondo.

The second game of football on the local gridiron will occur this afternoon at de Montel Park when a fast team from Uvalde will meet the team of the Hondo High School. The game will be called at 3:30 sharp, as the Uvalde boys are anxious to play as early as possible in order that they may return home after the game.
Remember the game will start promptly at 3:30. Make it a point to be on hand and root for the home team as they will have a hard game and our presence and encouragement will act as an incentive to the boys to do their very utmost to see that the big end of the score is set opposite their names at the end of the game.

Hondo 63; Pearsall 0.

The Hondo High School completely valloped Pearsall last Saturday evening in a fast game of football at de Montel Park by the score of 63 to 0. The game was witnessed by an enthusiastic crowd of spectators.

That the Hondo eleven is an aggressive bunch of youngsters was proven by the way in which they carried the ball and opened holes in last Saturday's game. The first touch down was made after a series of line plunges, within two minutes from the time the ball was first kicked. By the end of the first quarter it was easily seen that the Hondo boys had the big end of the score sewed up in a sack, but there were no quitters in the local aggregation, and the digits filled the astonished "Boli Weevils" into a riot rather than a defeat.

The Hondo back field had not much chance for any open play on the defensive, as the line held like a brick wall, and often broke through and spilled a formation before it got started. Not once did Pearsall threaten Hondo's goal line, nor were they allowed to carry the ball for more than three consecutive downs. The High School's straggling interference at times was perfect; their line plunges never failed, and their fake plays always proved a tormentor to the puzzled visitors.

However, regardless of the fact that the big end of the score belonged to Hondo, the Pearsall bunch have far from a bad team. A few week's seasoning will make them into a worthy opponent, and they will have a chance to retrieve their fallen name in another game to be played in the immediate future.

No mention should be made of the stars of the game without naming every individual on the team. For the visitors Mercer and Hudson did good work.

After the game the Hondo Bottling Works presented the two teams with soda water.

Lineup for Hondo:

McGary.....center
A. Rothe-Stiegler.....right guard
Hancock-Bradley.....left guard
S. Woods.....right tackle
A. Gilliam-Fusselman.....left tackle
C. Horger.....right end
H. Fillman.....left end
G. Gilliam.....left half
Carter-C. Rothe.....full
E. Rothe (captain).....right half
S. Fillman.....quarter

Officials: Starnes (Notre Dame), referee; Brooks, umpire; Carle (San Marcos Baptist Academy), head linesman.

Time of quarters: twelve and one-half minutes.

CONTRIBUTED.

Eleventh Grade Entertained.

The eleventh grade spent a most delightful evening with Miss Clara Schweers last Friday, October 22nd. Bunco was the game employed to while away a few pleasant hours for most of those present, while some of the talented young lady musicians of our class made the sweet-toned piano do its part in rendering enjoyment to the merry gathering.

After a series of exciting games of bunco delicious ice cream and cake was served. The football boys were out in force, but on account of the game scheduled for the next day were held down a notch in the consumption of the good things to eat. This press reporter, who is blessed with a good appetite but is otherwise unfortunate, was seated next to the coach, and the coach's attention could not be attracted to any other part of the room.

The merry crowd dispersed at a late hour, all pronouncing the party a most enjoyable one.

PRESS REPORTER.

Literary Society Meets.

The Sidney Lanier Literary Society met in the study hall last Friday afternoon. Meeting was called to order by President Caughey Horger. "Old Black Joe" was sung by the Society, and was followed by roll call and reading of minutes by Secretary.

The following program was then ably rendered: Reading—Ruth Chaney. Current Events—Robert Weynand. Magazine Article—Bessie Brucks. Jokes—Herbert Decker and Robert Weynand. Recitation—Zella Broers.

The program for next meeting was read and a program committee was appointed. "They Say That Old Hondo Aint Got no Style" and "It's a long, long way to Tipperary" were sung.

Last, but not least, was a song, "Don't send my boy to Baylor," sung by Miss Lewis and Nell Wilson.
PRESS REPORTER.

An Oil Expert in Hondo.

W. M. Mathews, a practical oil man from San Antonio, was in Hondo Wednesday and gave this office a pleasant call. Mr. Mathews is deeply interested in the oil indications in this section and predicts that a rich oil field—one equaling the Tampico, Mexico field—will be located in this western country at no distant day. So strong is his conviction that oil exists in this section that he has entered into a lease with A. E. Saathoff, a few miles from D'Hanis, and intends to begin active development work within a month.

While no man can say with any degree of certainty just where the principal oil field is located, he seems to think surface indications—volcanic rocks, etc., over a wide area—are sufficient to warrant a systematic search which he feels confident will be rewarded by a rich strike.

Mr. Mathews is of the opinion that our own people, in their eagerness to see development work begin, are really doing much to retard that very thing. He strongly condemns the practice of some of people in entering into indefinite leases with self-styled promoters who have been active in this section for some time. Mr. Mathews says that while some of these men are undoubtedly honest and when securing the lease intend to do development work, others are not honest, never intent when securing the lease to spend a dollar but hope to sell out at a profit should others make a strike. He suggests that land owners limit the life of a lease to ninety days, or if the lease extends beyond that date the landlord should demand a monthly rental, and a good, stiff one at that, payable in advance, until a rig is erected. He says ninety days is sufficient time for an honest man to begin development after the signing of the lease, and that land lords can aid materially in forcing development work by being more strict in limiting the life of leases entered into.

While we presume every man is capable of attending to his own business, we think Mr. Mathews' suggestions are worth pondering. We are all anxious to see development begin, and if that purpose can be attained by adopting his suggestions, then that would seem to be proper policy to pursue.

Paul Oefinger, Sr.

Paul Oefinger, Sr., an old and highly respected citizen of the Sturm Hill community departed this life October 18, 1915, at the ripe old age of 89 years, 8 months and 13 days, his death being the result of general debility caused by his advanced age.

The subject of this sketch was born in Württemberg, Germany, February 5, 1826, and came to the United States in September, 1853, and in 1855 reached Quibi.

On the 20th day of September, 1860, Mr. Oefinger was married to Miss Annie Mary Hauser, and to this union eleven children were born, eight of whom, three boys and five daughters, besides thirty-two grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren and his aged widow survive him.

Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery, Rev. A. Falkenberg, pastor of the Hondo Lutheran church, officiating. A large number of grief-stricken relatives and friends attended the funeral.

In the death of Mr. Oefinger Medina lost one of her pioneer citizens, a man who breasted the privations and hardships of frontier life before many who are now in the evening of life were born. To him and to others of those early days the present generation owe a debt of gratitude for the peace and plenty which surround them which was made possible by their sacrifices.
Peace to his ashes.

Methodist Church News.

Subject next Sunday morning, "The Beatitudes." Will not announce the evening subject.

Let every member of the church at the beginning of the new conference year resolve to be present at all of the services when at all possible, and to work and pray for the upbuilding of the Master's cause.

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12-1f HUGH F. WOOD.

Hondo Lad on Star Team.

The San Antonio Express of yesterday morning contained an account of a football contest between West Texas Military Academy and San Antonio High School that was watched for and read with avidity by football fans in Hondo. West Texas was victorious in the contest but in San Antonio High they met a foe that was in every way worthy to be classed as a splendid fighting machine, and by defeating it West Texas has forged its way to the very "head of the procession" in football in this part of the state.

It was known here that this contest was to be pulled off, and the fact that a Hondo boy—Arthur Jungman, a freshman in West Texas Military Academy—was to be in the game, added to the interest in the outcome among his friends in Hondo.

The fact that Arthur, a freshman, should appear in a West Texas uniform whenever the leading team of that institution has a contest on hand that will try their metal, is pretty conclusive evidence that his team mates regard him as "plumb good," and is a compliment to his prowess on the gridiron. There is always more or less rivalry between the seniors and freshmen in athletic sports, and when a freshman is selected to fill a position that rightfully belongs to a senior it is not only a tribute of esteem to his merits as a fellow-student but also an acknowledgement of his ability as an athlete.

The game resulted in a score of 19 to 6 in favor of West Texas.

We are always pleased to chronicle the achievements of Hondo boys in whatever honorable efforts their inclinations may lead them.

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Oscar Taylor Honored.

Private advices from New Orleans convey the gratifying intelligence that Oscar Taylor, a Hondo boy that is in his last year in the dental department of Tulane University, has just been honored by that institution.

It is the custom of the University to designate one of the pupils—the one the dean regards as the best-qualified—to visit the various orphan asylums in New Orleans and administer to the dental needs of the inmates.

While the position does not carry any emolument, it is considered a great honor by the students and is one that is striven for.

Oscar Taylor has just been designated for this service. In connection with two others to be selected by him from the student body, he is to attend to all dental work for the orphans, which will give him the practical experience so necessary now that he is completing his studies.

The Anvil Herald rejoices in the achievements of Hondo boys. In annexing honors for themselves they reflect honor on their relatives and friends and the town from which they originate.

Posted.

My pastures in Verdina precinct are posted, no hunting or camping allowed therein.
2-mo.-pd. JACOB OEFINGER.

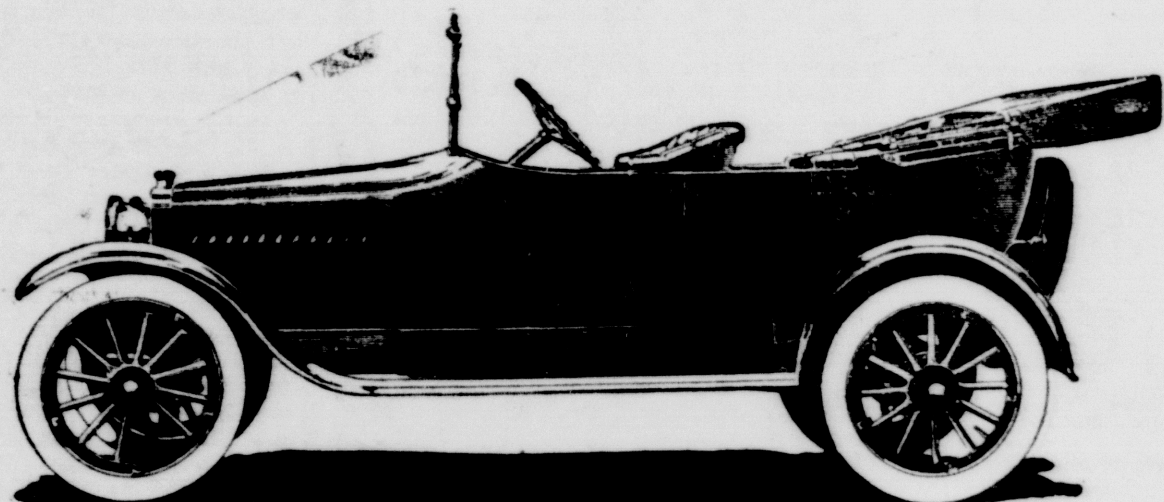
Oscar Graham Coming.

"A Soldier of Japan," the play which Oscar Graham presents at the Auditorium, Wednesday, Nov. 3, is the story of a young Japanese military captain, who was educated at the U. S. Military Academy at West point. The same company which has been seen here for so many years past will present this play, and their individual work is so well known that a thoroughly interesting performance is assured. An Oscar Graham attraction is always considered one of the theatrical events of the season. As Captain Oki Sansuma, Oscar Graham, has a part particularly suited to him. Loretta Graham, as a noble type of American girl portrays a beautiful role, and her costumes which always create comment for their beauty will be of especial interest. Edward Paulins who is always the funny man, is funnier than ever as Wing Lee, a coolie servant. Mr. Graham is always generous in providing this genial comedian with very strong roles, and this year it is stronger than ever. Every member of the company has a star part and no performance of the entire season will be better presented, both from the standpoint of acting and of scenic equipment.

War or No War.

Old Santa Claus will have his headquarters at Windrow's Drug Store as usual.
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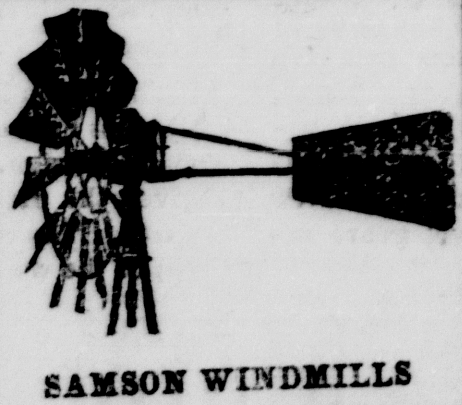
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Bread Pudding.—Toast slowly several slices of stale light bread, until they are a golden brown all through. Pile them in a bowl, sprinkling each one with a little sugar and a pinch of salt; then cover with boiling water, close tightly, set the bowl in a pan of boiling water and let simmer gently until the bread is like jelly. Serve warm, with sugar and cream and a grating of nutmeg.

Potato for an Invalid.—Where potato is allowed, select such as will boil up dry and mealy. Peel them and boil until well done, then mash very thoroughly with a wire masher until perfectly free from lumps. Add rather more salt than usual and several spoonfuls of thick, sweet cream; then beat until perfectly smooth and light, and serve at once. Potato served in this way is delicious and much more easily digested by a weak stomach than when eaten with butter.

Fruit Toast.—Fruit toasts are delicious and appetizing and may be made either with fresh or canned fruit. Dip the slices of toast in the hot juice, removing them quickly to a hot dish, then thicken the juice slightly with cornstarch, adding the pulp, rubbed through a sieve or finely chopped, and pour all over the toast.

Fruit Whip.—A nourishing way of serving fruit, either fresh or canned, is to press it through a sieve or wire strainer and then stir it into whipped cream, regulating the amount of fruit as desired and sweetening to taste.

Egg Souffle Toast.—Place a slice of toast on a white enameled plate, spread with fresh butter or very thick sweet cream, heap on top the stiffly whipped white of an egg, hollowing out the top to form a nest. In this place the yolk. Set in the oven to cook the egg lightly.

Oyster Pate.

One pint oysters, one tablespoonful each butter and flour, one cupful cream, cayenne, grated nutmeg, yolk of one egg, chopped parsley. Line a shallow baking dish with rich crust. Make sauce of butter, flour, cream, sauce, and when heated through whip in the well-beaten egg yolk. At once pour into the pastry crust (previously baked) and heat in oven about eight minutes. The crust can be molded over inverted muffin cups or made in the regular baking dish lined with paste, and even covered with a second crust is most attractive.

Economical Cake.

The most surprising of cakes can be produced without eggs or butter. To a teaspoonful of bicarbonate of soda dissolved in a teaspoonful of warm water add a cupful of sour milk, three-quarters of a cupful of brown sugar and a half a cupful of treacle. See that the sugar is well dissolved, and then add two cupfuls of brown flour, a good pinch of ginger and a teaspoonful of cinnamon. Beat to smoothness, and pour in while stirring a quarter of a pound of soaked raisins—less can be used. Bake in a slow oven for a good hour. This cake is economical, and will keep a long time, but it is better not to cut it for a day or two.

Manhattan Pudding.

Mix together the juice of three oranges, a lemon and a half cupful of sugar; let stand several hours. Whip a cupful of heavy cream, add a half cupful of powdered sugar and a cupful of chopped nuts or candied fruit. Rub a mold sparingly with olive oil, pour in the fruit juices, spread with the whipped cream mixture and cover with paraffin paper, put on the lid and bury in ice and salt for three hours. Serve garnished with sections of orange which have stood over night in a thick sirup of sugar and water.

Scrambled Eggs With Asparagus Tops. Melt three ounces of butter in a saucepan, break into it six fresh eggs; season with a pinch of salt, half a pinch of pepper and a third of a pinch of grated nutmeg. Mix thoroughly without stopping for three minutes, using a spatula and having the pan on a very hot stove. Add a quarter of a bunch of freshly boiled asparagus tops.

Apple Float.

When making apple float, try baking the apples instead of stewing them. The pulp is removed from the skins and mixed with the whites of the egg, which makes the float much lighter than the old way.

Helpful Words.

From a Hondo Citizen.
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In the District Court, 38th Judicial District of Texas, for Medina county.
The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina county, Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Medina once in each week for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon the heirs of Paget Halpin and the unknown heirs of the heirs of the said Paget Halpin, whose names and residences are unknown to plaintiff herein, to be and appear at the next regular term of the Honorable District Court of the 38th Judicial District of Texas, held in and for Medina county to be held at the Court House there of, in the town of Hondo on the eighth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1915, the same being the first day of September, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the first day of September, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1775, wherein I, N. Johnson is plaintiff, and the heirs of Paget Halpin, and the unknown heirs of the heirs of the said Paget Halpin, are defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff sues defendants in trespass to try title to recover the property hereinafter described; plaintiff alleging briefly, that on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1915, he was seized and possessed and entitled to the possession of said land and premises, holding and owning the same in fee simple; that on August 3d, 1915, defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and still unlawfully withhold from plaintiff the possession thereof, to his damage \$5,000.00; that the land and premises withheld by defendants from plaintiff and for the recovery of which plaintiff sues, is described as follows, that is to say:

Situated in Medina county, Texas, known as Survey No. 486, on the waters of Deer Creek, a tributary of Arroyo Seco and Rio River, about 16 miles S. 45 deg. W. from Hondo City, by virtue of Bounty Certificate No. 2225, issued to Thomas Taylor by Bernard E. Bee, Secretary of War, February 9, 1835; beginning at a stake the S. S. cor. of a 320 sur. No. 436 in sec. 6, made for Jos. Leyer for the S. W. cor. of this sur., a mesq. 6 inches brs. S. 64 deg. E. 31 vrs., another mesq. 4 inches brs. S. 89 deg., E. 65 vrs.; thence E. 1344 vrs. to a stk. and rail for the N. E. cor. of No. 1108, a mesq. 8 inches S. 165, W. 19 vrs. mesq. 7 inches, N. 33 deg., W. 18 vrs.; thence N. 1344 vrs. to a stk. for N. E. cor.; thence W. 1344 vrs. to a stk. for the N. E. cor. of sur. No. 485, sec. 6 and the N. W. cor. of this sur., a mesq. 8 inches brs. S. 18 deg. E. 15 vrs. and

other 7 inches, brs. N. 38 deg. W. 16 vrs.; thence S. with E. line of No. 486 1344 vrs. to the place of beginning. That the aforesaid tract of land was purchased by plaintiff from the Virgil A. Johnson heirs on the 2d day of July, A. D. 1915, which deed is duly recorded in the deed records of Medina county, Texas, Book No. 51, page 231, and by which deed plaintiff acquired the title to said land and premises. That said Virgil A. Johnson died intestate leaving certain persons his heirs at law; that said plaintiff was one of said heirs and that his co-heirs conveyed said tract of land to him; that plaintiff's ancestor, V. A. Johnson, acquired said land about twenty years ago at a tax sale.

In addition to alleging that plaintiff is the true and lawful owner in fee simple of said premises, plaintiff seeks to recover said land and premises by virtue of the statutes of limitations of five, ten and twenty years, respectively.

That the claim of said defendants to said tract of land is unknown to plaintiff further than the fact that the said defendants, according to the records of Medina county, Texas, are asserting, or pretending to assert, a title to said premises, for in this they have caused to be issued and placed of record in the deed records of Medina county, Texas, a patent from the State of Texas, No. 614, Vol. 18, dated December 13, 1906; said patent is issued by the State of Texas to the heirs of Paget Halpin, and is for said survey of land.

Wherefore plaintiff prays for judgment against said defendants for the title to, and possession of, said land and premises, decreeing that all the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to said land and premises, be cancelled, and that the same be divested out of them, and each of them, and be duly vested in plaintiff; that plaintiff have judgment against said defendants herein for the recovery of said land and premises and for their restitution to plaintiff, for his damages, and all costs of suit; and plaintiff prays for such other judgment and decree as the facts may warrant, and for general relief; all of which will more fully appear by reference to plaintiff's said original petition, now on file in my office.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next regular term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the town of Hondo this, the second day of September, A. D. 1915.

Issued September 2d, 1915.
[L. S.] AUGUST KEMPF,
Clerk District Court, Medina County, Texas.

Came to hand on September 2d, A. D. 1915, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., and publication of the above Citation ordered made in the Hondo Anvil Herald.
J. F. BADER,
Sheriff of Medina County, Texas.
By WESLEY FAVOR, Deputy.

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When the chest feels as if it were on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need Herbin's to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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Washing Machines. Guaranteed. Holloway Bros.
Louis Rothe, Sr., was here from D'Hanis Monday.
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Hv. Rothe was a business visitor in San Antonio this week.
All the latest cold drinks at Swearingin's Confectionery. 44-tf
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Walker left Tuesday morning for San Antonio.
L. A. Saathoff and family were shopping in town one day this week.
For Sale—A good piano on easy terms. Call at Windrow's drug store.

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Fresh candies at Heyen's.
That Guaranteed Razor. Holloway Bros.
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Constable Henry Moore is on the sick list this week.
Ernest Martin of Pearsall visited home-folks here Sunday.
A nice assortment of canned goods always fresh at Heyen's.
Mrs. Wm. Miles of San Antonio spent Sunday with relatives here.
John Stracener was a passenger to Noonan on Monday morning's train.
W. J. Nester, the butcher, was a business visitor in D'Hanis Thursday.
Albert Heyen, who has been sick at Schertz came in Wednesday to recuperate.

Local advertisements pay. Try it.
Guns and Ammunition. Holloway Bros. 5-tf

Monroe Taylor was here from Natalia Wednesday.

Try the Nebo Cigarettes, 20 for 10c, at F. A. Heyen's.

New trimmings and new hats just received at Haralson's.

Mrs. H. B. Hudson visited home-folks in San Antonio this week.

Buy Fisk—and run no risk, the tire of quality. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Mrs. F. J. Reinhart spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. F. Batot.

Those wishing to take art lessons phone or see Miss Patterson, at Will Ney's. 7

Mrs. Ella Caraway of San Antonio is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Martin Koch.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Her and prices. 12

Will Grimes, who is attending school in San Antonio, spent Sunday with his parents here.

We buy eggs and chickens and will pay cash for them. L. Barrientos & Sons. Phone 200.

J. N. Dowdy left Thursday morning for Jourdan to look after property interests down there.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Rev. A. H. Falkenberg and wife of Brenham, after a short stay here, left Monday morning for their home.

County Superintendent W. N. Saathoff visited the schools in the eastern part of the county this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windrow, Mrs. E. B. Taylor and Geo. Carle visited San Marcos Sunday, returning Monday.

W. K. Mask, an erstwhile citizen of Hondo but now of Jourdan, was shaking hands with his friends here this week.

Fisk "Red Top" Tires—Four thousand mile guarantee—Adjustment on defective tires made here. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Mrs. McClain, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Callahan, left for her home in San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Louis Stiegler is convalescing from her recent spell of sickness, she having been laid up for seven weeks with rheumatism.

Will Neuman, the genial buggy dealer and cobbler, is in Dallas this week attending the Fair and incidentally buying buggies.

Judge and Mrs. A. M. Lamm have both been on the indisposed list this week, but we are glad to state that they are convalescing now.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo.

Fletcher Davis, of the State Department of Agriculture, visited home-folks here Saturday. He left Sunday to complete his itinerary in South Texas.

Ino. Pegues, our crack baseball catcher, has gone to Dallas. We understand that Pegues and Jake Miller will "try out" with the Houston league next season.

Christmas will come just the same—war or no war and Windrow's Drug Store will be headquarters for Santa Claus and all the usual large assortment of holiday goods. 13-2t.

H. E. Haas, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Twenty-six years experience.

We were in error last week in reporting that the ladies of the Methodist church would hold a bazaar on Nov. 2nd. It should have been that the bazaar will take place Dec. 2nd.

Mathis, Tex., Oct. 22.—Claude Waldo McCall, age 18 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McCall, died Thursday afternoon and was buried today in the local cemetery.—Saturday's Express.

The Airdome is now running, the complete universal program, including the Broadway Star Features Mondays, "Diamond From the Sky" Tuesdays, "The Broken Coin" Fridays, and Universal Star Features Saturdays.

Just received, a supply of Columbia Batteries—cost less, lasts longer—for your phone, gas engine, auto, etc. Give them a trial. Citizen's Motor Car Co., phone 151, Weynand Bros., Proprietors. Agents Saxon and Chalmers. 11

The ladies of the Cemetery Association will give a dinner at the old Reynolds' building, opposite Bless' Store, Tuesday, November 2nd, for the benefit of the Hondo Cemeteries. Patronize the ladies and aid in a good cause.

Lorenz Rihn, of Castroville, has secured the agency for Medina county for the W. T. Rawleigh Medical Co's. Stock Remedies, such as Fly Chaser, Stock, Hog and Poultry Mixture, and many other products too numerous to mention. He will call on you all. Give him a trial. 52-tf.

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Edwin Balzen paid this office a business call Saturday.

C. G. Leighton was down from Tarpley yesterday.

Fresh fruits and candies at Swearingin's Confectionery. 44-tf

John Lindeburg was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Clinton Rothe and Herbert Decker were D'Hanis visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Finger is visiting home-folks in D'Hanis this week.

Mrs. F. Batot had as her guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rothe, Sunday.

For Sale—Two lots in the Bless addition. Apply to M. Beal at the barber shop. 40-tf.

Lost—Sunday, a gold medal, with Marie McAnelly on it. Please return to this office.

Gus Rothe and sister, Miss Elsie, attended church here Sunday and also visited friends.

Mrs. H. B. Laughinghouse left Tuesday morning for a visit to her mother at Luling.

Ridiculously low prices on tires. See my stock, get the prices and be convinced. C. R. Gaines.

H. B. Hudson, manager of the Hondo Auto Sales Co., was a business visitor in Houston this week.

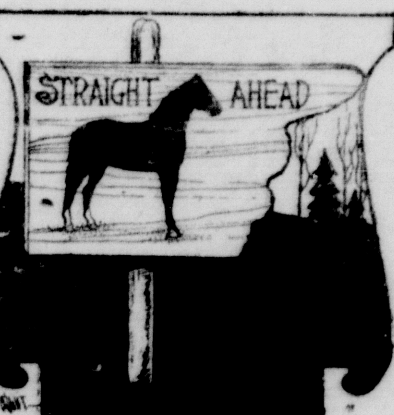
Mrs. T. McCall is at Methis where she went to attend the funeral of her little grand-son, Claude Waldo McCall.

Mrs. P. C. Jagge, after a several days' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haas, returned to her home in Castroville Tuesday.

Just received a large line of English and German made razors and pocket knives—extra good quality at prices lower than ever. C. R. Gaines.

Judge V. H. Blocker returned this week from a visit to Duval county. He brought a bottle of oil, took right from the well, from the oil field down there.

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Ottice Fred, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. K. Fred of Kingsville, Texas, to Mr. Lee H. Wilson of Terrell, Texas, to take place November 16, 1915, at the bride's home.



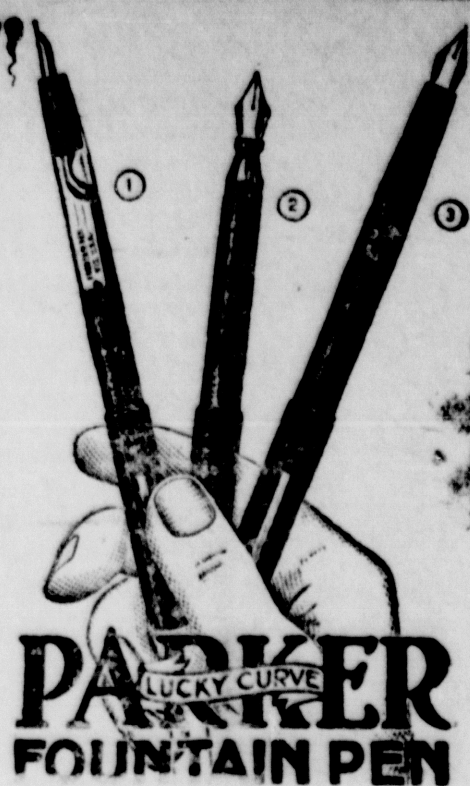
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M. L. Saathoff was here from the Tarpley neighborhood yesterday.

J. W. Crow was a business visitor in Floresville and other points this week.

Henry J. Schott and Miss Annie Kilhorn were, on October 25, granted a license to wed.

You had better place your order for one of those good Buicks, while you have a chance. They won't last long. C. R. Gaines. 8-

For sale—A ten foot Sansom windmill, complete with wood tower, pump, etc. Apply to H. E. Haass. Hondo, Texas. 13-2t.

Found—A set of harness on the Hondo-Utopia road. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

I am offering my home in the south part of town for sale. Part cash and balance on easy terms. See me if you are looking for a comfortable home. H. F. Woods. 12-tf.

A Halloween box supper will be given at the Langfield school house Saturday night, Oct. 30th, for the benefit of the school library. Everybody invited.

If there is any thing special you want for Christmas let us order for you in time. Make up your list and let us have it early. W. H. Windrow, Headquarters for Drugs, Books and Christmas Goods. 13-2t.

Juan Regalar was given an examining by Judge Lamm Thursday. Juan is charged with rape, and after a patient hearing by the Judge was remanded to jail to await the action of the grand jury, the crime of rape not being a bailable offense.

Two cases were filed in the district court this week as follows: Estate of J. M. Bright, deceased, application for appointment of administrator, appeal from probate court of Medina county; and Adams Co. vs. Ben W. Williams and wife, application for attachment.

The ladies of the Catholic Church will give a two days' Fair for the benefit of the church during the second week of District Court, Nov. 9th and 10th. Remember the dates and attend and help a worthy cause. The ladies will serve dinner and supper the first day of the bazaar.

County Attorney de Montel was in Devine Monday for the purpose of representing the state in the examining trial of Guadalupe Rodriguez, charged with burglary and theft over \$50. Guadalupe was held to the grand jury in a bond of \$500, and on his failure to give same was brought to Hondo by Deputy Sheriff Favor and is now occupying quarters in the county jail.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman, Jr., went to San Antonio Thursday, partly to witness the football game between West Texas Academy and San Antonio High School, which was to be played that evening, and partly to transact other business. It was thought Arthur would appear in a West Texas uniform for at least a part of the game, but he being a freshman, he is always subject to be bumped off the team by a senior.

Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Alexander returned home Thursday. Rev. Alexander had been attending the Methodist conference at San Angelo and Mrs. Alexander had been the guest of relatives in San Antonio. The Methodist congregation, as well as the general public, are very much pleased that Brother Alexander has been returned to Hondo as pastor of the Methodist Church. During his stay here, Rev. Alexander has made many friends among his congregation, other church members and the laity, and they are all glad that he will be with us another year.

Notice of Administration.

The State of Texas, County of Medina. To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Jacob Siegenthaler, deceased: The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Siegenthaler, deceased, late of Medina County, Texas, by Hon. R. J. Noonan, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1915, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in Hondo, Medina County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This 15th day of October, A. D. 1915. C. H. SAYERS, Administrator of the estate of Jacob Siegenthaler, deceased. 11-4t.

Posted.

My pasture known as the Jacob Reilly Ranch is posted. No hunting or disturbing of cattle or any other trespassing is allowed. 13-2mo. L. O. JOHNSON.

Posted.

My farm and pastures are posted and all hunting or camping therein is forbidden under penalty of the law. 13-2t. PAUL OEFINGER.

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Poll Tax Ruling.

The following ruling by the Attorney General, published in the San Antonio Express of Friday, makes the payment of a poll tax by an agent a rather expensive affair. It will be seen from this ruling that any agent paying the poll tax of other must pay an additional sum of 25 cents as a war tax?

Temple, Tex., Oct. 28—Orders given agents for the payment of poll taxes are regarded as powers of attorney and must bear a 25 cent war tax stamp each before the tax collector can honor the same, is the substance of an opinion delivered County Tax Collector J. D. Nelson of Bell county by A. S. Walker of Austin, United States Internal Revenue Collector.

Noitce.

My pastures on the Frio River are posted according to law. No permission will be given to any one, and all permits given heretofore are cancelled and all violations by hunting or trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law without exception. 12-6t. R. GROSS.

Posted.

The Charles Martin ranch is posted. All hunters and other trespassers are warned that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law for hunting or otherwise trespassing therein. 12-tf. F. A. MARTIN.

Notice.

The Geo. Haass pasture is posted and all hunting or trapping therein is strictly forbidden according to law. Any one caught therein will be prosecuted to the full extent of law. 7-23-mo. PHIL. E. HAASS, Overseer.

Notice.

After the first day of November no orders for meat will be received after 10 o'clock a. m. Please order early. Respectfully, STEIGLER & THALLMAN. 12-2t. NESTER & SCHWEERS.

Posted.

My pastures and fields are posted according to law. No hunting or fishing allowed. Trespassers will be prosecuted. 4-3m-pd. L. J. SCHEIDT.

Posted.

My pastures are posted and all trespassing, hunting and disturbing of cattle is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law. 12-tf. F. J. ROTHE.

Posted.

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District Court Docket.

The following is the docket of District Court which convenes here Monday:

CASES ON CIVIL DOCKET

Geo. T. Briscoe vs. A. Aquajo, et al. Suit on note, etc.

A. T. Forst, et al. vs. Warren Ames. Trespass to try title.

State of Texas, vs. Ed Walker, principal, and D. A. McAskill, surety. Forfeiture of Bail Bond.

Chas. F. Luckenbach, vs. F. J. and Louis Carle. Suit for Damages.

W. H. Burnett, vs. J. R. Evans, et al. Suit for recovery of Commissions.

Ben W. Williams, et al. vs. G. W. Bester, et al. Trespass to try title.

First National Bank of Hondo vs. A. P. Sale, et al. Suit on note.

I. N. Johnson vs. Unknown heirs of P. Halpin, et al. Trespass to try title.

Florence Martinez vs. Pedro Martinez, Divorce.

C. B. Leinweber vs. Hondo Light, Power & Ice Co. Suit for Damages.

Cevero Sanchez, vs. F. T. de Sanchez. Divorce.

E. A. Fox vs. Ida West Fox. Divorce.

Gra Pledger vs. C. T. Pledger. Divorce.

Fred Smith, et al. vs. J. H. Bright, et al. Suit for Partition.

Fred Reinhart vs. Dan Polk. Trespass to try title.

Blanche E. Wangermann et al. vs. Ida West Fox, et al. Suit for Damages, etc.

Elizabeth Tondre, et al. vs. L. M. Tondre, et al. Suit for Partition.

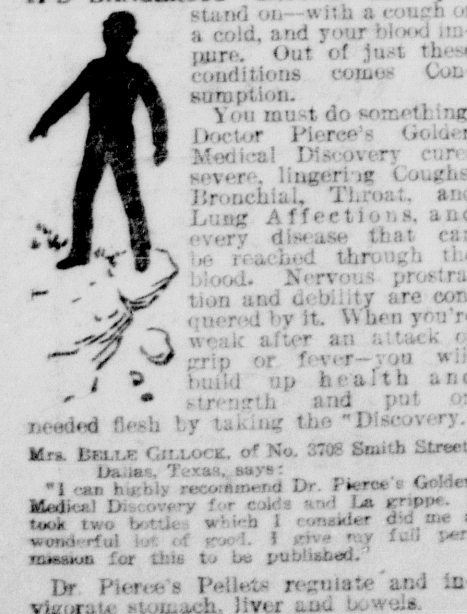
Willie Rogers vs. Devine Light, Power & Ice Co. Suit for Damages.

D. B. Martin vs. G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co. Suit for Damages.

Alois Hornung vs. Uneeda Bridge Co. Suit for Damages.

The last two mentioned cases appearing on the Jury Docket.

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Farmers' Institute Organized.

Coughran, Tex., Oct. 22. — People of Coughran heard a lecture on "Farming and Farmers' Organizations" by Fletcher Davis, field agent for the State Department of Agriculture, at the schoolhouse last night and after the lecture organized a Farmers' Institute with Solon Barnes, president; Clyde Ormand, vice-president; Mrs. W. A. Coughran, secretary, and W. D. McBryde, entomologist.—San Antonio Express.

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Leming Farmers Organize.

Leming, Tex., Oct. 22. — At a meeting of citizens here temporary organization of a Farmers' Institute was effected with S. H. Flake, president; Miss Edna Anglin, secretary, and Willard Teller, entomologist. Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, was present and spoke on the purposes and value of institutes and assisted in the organization.—San Antonio Express.

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CASES ON CRIMINAL DOCKET

State of Texas vs. Ed Walker. Forgery by alteration.

State of Texas vs. Granville Grant. Assault to murder.

State of Texas vs. Eunice Perkins. Burglary.

State of Texas vs. W. R. Meredith. Embezzlement of money over value of \$50.00.

There are nine other cases on this docket in which the Defendants are not under arrest and their names cannot be disclosed.

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Information Relative to Road Dist. No. 2, Bonds

Name of District: Road District No. 2, Medina County Texas.
Amount of issue: Forty Thousand Dollars. Denomination of bonds, \$500.00 each. Bonds Nos. 77, 78, 79 and 80, aggregating \$2,000.00, have been sold.
Date of issue: April 10, 1915. 40 years. Optional after 5 years.
Rate of interest: 5 per cent, payable annually on April 10th. Payable at Hanover Bank, New York, at Austin, Texas, or Hondo, Texas, at option of holder.

Purpose of issue: Paving and macadamizing roads and road improvement. Authorized by act of 1st called session of 31st Legislature of Texas, p. 271, which provides for road improvements, districts, etc.

Approved by the Attorney General of Texas, on August 2, 1915, and duly registered according to law. Waiver from State. Bonds deposited in the First National Bank of Hondo and ready for delivery.

Date of election: March 23, 1915. Vote for bonds 318, against bonds 49.
Real valuation of property in district subject to taxation nearly \$9,000,000.00. Total assessed valuation in district for 1914 was \$3,094,590.00.
Total bonded debt of district including this issue \$50,000.00.
No additional bonds contemplated by district.

This district or county has never defaulted in the payment of principal or interest of any obligation.

County warrants are, and always have been at par, and county in A. 1. condition financially.

Population of district about 3500. Towns in district: Castroville, Lacoste, Dunlay, Riomedina and Cliff. All small towns.

Location of district: North-eastern section of Medina County, adjoining Bexar County, and embracing about one-fourth of the territory and wealth of Medina County.

About 200,000 acres of land within district, about 1-5 in cultivation. Railroad assessed valuation \$425,480.00, G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co.

Population: A high-class of thrifty, honest Germans. Never delinquent. Crops of district: Corn, cotton, oats, pecans, forage, etc. The range section is stocked with high graded cattle.

About 25 miles of road proposed to be constructed. Work to be done with home labor.

No controversy or litigation pending or threatened, affecting the corporate existence, or the boundaries of said district, or the title of its present officials to their respective offices, or the validity of these bonds.

Very probable that these bonds will be redeemed within 12 or 15 years.

Total county tax: 10 cents ad valorem, 12 cents road tax and 3 cents bridge tax, and there has been levied for 1915 an 11 cents tax for interest and to provide a sinking fund for these bonds.

There is a bridge bond indebtedness over the entire county of \$16,500, which is being redeemed rapidly.

This is the first bond issue ever voted on by this district, with exception of \$10,000.00 school bonds above mentioned.

Sealed bids will be opened by the Commissioners' Court at Hondo, on Monday, Nov. 8, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m. The County reserving the privilege of rejecting any or all bids.

Certified check for \$100.00 to accompany each bid, to insure good faith.

I certify that the above statement is correct to the best of my information and belief. Dated this 23rd day of October, A. D., 1915.

R. J. NOONAN,
County Judge, Medina County, Texas.

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596 acres about 4 miles west of Vancey on the Frio road, soil black-sandy, all tillable and level, 230 acres in cultivation, 4 small houses, 2 good wells and windmills. \$25.00 per acre—\$3000.00 cash balance to suit purchaser.

116 acres, 4 miles northeast of Leslie, Searcy Co., Arkansas, for \$300 cash.

Lot No. 11, Block No. 3, Hot Springs Heights, Sonoma Co., California, for \$35.00 cash.

A 50x150-ft. lot in Burnside Addition to Hondo, for \$250.

Lots 11, 12 and 13, block 144, Los Angeles Heights Addition to San Antonio. Price and terms reasonable.

Lot No. 12, block No. 311, in Jourdanon, Atascosa County, Texas, for \$100 cash or will trade for property of equal value in Hondo or D'Hanis.

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ANVIL SPARKS

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Mrs. C. B. Watters of San Antonio is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer.

Mrs. George Christilles and Mrs. Paul Christilles of Lacoste spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burell of Riomedina were shopping here Monday.

We are sorry to say that Miss Katie Rohrbach is reported to be very sick.

Adolph Wurzbach, the big stockman of Cliff, was a visitor here one day this week.

Mrs. Ed Hans was an Alamo City visitor this week.

Mrs. Frank Groff and baby of Dunlay are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kempf.

Henry Naegelin and Chas. Sues were San Antonio visitors with two loads of peacans for Courand & Co. Wednesday.

Mrs. T. C. Whitehead and daughter, Miss Irlean, and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Florence, were Lacoste visitors Friday.

Josie Wernette and son, Elmer, Frank Grimsinger and Fred Auderson of San Antonio were guests of William Rihn and family Sunday.

Mrs. George Jorden and sister, Miss Annie Gabatz, of San Antonio spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Wurzbach.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry App.

Charley Wurzbach, who is attending school in San Antonio, attended the wedding of his sister, Miss Hulda Wurzbach, Wednesday.

Oscar Wurzbach of Riomedina visited here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard and children and Dr. and Mrs. Koontz and children of Lacoste passed through here Saturday on their way to Hondo to visit George Schuehle who is reported to be very ill.

Adolph Mangold, who is attending school in San Antonio, visited his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. L. Mangold.

Henry Steidle of Jourdanton visited his family here this week.

Mrs. Joe Ney and two daughters, Margaret and Della, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Ney and baby of Hondo visited relatives here Sunday.

S. A. Jungman and wife of Hondo spent Sunday here.

Miss Annie Kilhorn has returned from a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. Albert Tschirhart, at Noonan.

Mrs. Henry Steidle attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Johnson, in San Antonio Friday.

Mrs. Joe Spettie and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wurzbach and little son of Riomedina spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stein of French Settlement attended church here Sunday.

Jake Vogel and two children have returned to their home in D'Hanis.

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart, Jr. at their ranch Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steidle and children of Dunlay visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baby of

Riomedina visited here Sunday.

BIEDIGER-RHIN

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock a very pretty wedding took place at the St. Louis Catholic Church when Miss Mayme Biediger became the bride of Mr. Joe J. Rihn. Rev. A. Heckman performed the marriage ceremony. The attendants were: Mr. John Franger and Miss Annie Rihn, Mr. Adolph Mangold and Miss Leontina Rihn, Mr. Walter Holzhaus and Miss Clara Biediger, Mrs. Fritz Rihn, maid of honor. The flower girls were Wilhelmina Biediger and Myrtle Droicourt and Madeline Droicourt, ring bearer.

The bride was gowned in white Duchess satin trimmed with Oriental lace and pearls. Her veil was caught up with orange blossoms and she carried a magnificent bouquet of brides roses and lace fern. Miss Annie Rihn, maid of honor, was dressed in cream silk poplin trimmed in pearls and carried a bouquet of tube-roses and fern. The bridesmaids, Miss Leontina Rihn and Miss Clara Biediger were dressed in white silk poplin and each carried bouquets of Queen's wreath and ferns. The ring bearer, Madeline Droicourt, was dressed in white embroidered net over white silk and carried a large white satin rose. The flower girls, Wilhelmina Biediger and Myrtle Droicourt, were dressed in white embroidered net over light blue silk and each carried bouquets of flowers. Mrs. Fritz Rihn, matron of honor, wore a suit of royal blue silk poplin with hat to match.

The bride is the oldest and beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Biediger of the lower Medina.

The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rihn of this place and numbers his friends by acquaintances and holds a position as book-keeper with the Jos. Courand Co.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride where a reception was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Rihn were recipients of many beautiful and useful presents.

We join their many friends in wishing them a happy married life.

SCHUCHART-WURZBACH

One of the most beautiful home weddings of the season took place at 4 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Wurzbach, when their lovely daughter, Miss Hulda Wurzbach, became the bride of Mr. Lee Schuchart, Rev. Walter Kralick reading the impressive marriage ceremony. The bridal attendants were: Mr. Mathahna Schuchart, best man, and Miss Annie Gabatz, maid of honor, Mr. Alfred Wurzbach and Miss Gladys Schuchart.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white silk Chameuse in princess effect trimmed in pearls and lace, her veil of tulle was arranged in cap effect and was caught up with orange blossoms and she carried a magnificent shower bouquet of brides roses and carnations. The maid of honor wore pink crepe meteor trimmed with rose buds while the bridesmaid wore an elaborate gown of white taffeta silk, trimmed in lace and each carried large bouquets of carnations.

The parlor and dining room were beautifully decorated with ferns and queen's wreath.

Only the immediate families of the bride and groom were present.

After the ceremony an elegant wedding supper was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Schuchart accompanied by the attendants left for the depot where they boarded the nine-thirty train for an extended bridal trip

to San Francisco and other points of interest west.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuchart will make their home at Cliff, Texas, where Mr. Schuchart is in business.
Castroville, Oct. 26, 1915.

ADD SALAD DISHES TO MENU

People Today Eat Too Much Cooked Food That is Frequently Lacking in Nutritive Qualities.

It has long been a joke how cats and dogs, when out of sorts, fly to grass or some kind of green food for relief. The animal knows by instinct what only a few human beings are beginning to learn from experience—namely, that nature has provided vegetables of the leaf order, rich in mineral salts. These salts possess a double power—they not only combine with the acids and poisons in the body, rendering them powerless, but they also drive them out of the system altogether.

It is not too much to say that no great mental, moral or physical progress can be made without an ample supply of this vegetable food. Salad is the one ingredient of our regular diet which we cannot afford to do without.

Some people say salad is cold and indigestible, but cabbage, if eaten raw, needs only two and a half hours for digestion, as against five hours when boiled! The boiling of green foods destroys the original organic combination of the mineral salts.

The blood of a healthy person should be alkaline—that is, the opposite of acid—and it is the alkaline salts in vegetables which bring about this healthy condition.

Many thousands of men and women of all ages suffer from anemia, from having lived almost entirely on cooked food.

To those long accustomed to highly flavored food, salads will at first seem tasteless, but a liking for them comes with use.

Salad should be very carefully washed in several changes of clean water. This is essential. During washing the leaves should be well picked over and inspected.

Leaves should be torn, not cut. When done, they can be allowed to soak for an hour, or overnight, but not longer in cold water, to which a little lemon juice has been added to increase the crispness of the leaves.

The Japanese use the petals of many flowers for salads. Chrysanthemums, stocks, violets, roses, nasturtiums and dandelions are especially good, as they possess strong antitoxic powers.

A Clogged System Needs Attention.

Are you bilious, dizzy and listless? Dr. King's New Life Pills taken at once seize upon constipation and starts the bowels moving naturally and easily. Moreover it acts without griping. Neglect of a clogged system often leads to most serious complications. Poisonous matters and a body poorly functioning need immediate attention. If you wish to wake up tomorrow morning happy in mind and entirely satisfied, start your treatment to-night. 25c a bottle.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mrs. T. E. Wyatt went to Hondo last night on a visit.

Miss Vera Jones, bookkeeper at the Sabinal National Bank, spent Sunday at home in Hondo.

Mr. Harvey Tampke of Utopia went to San Antonio Wednesday to attend business college. He is a son of Mr. Louis Tampke who brought him down.

Mr. C. W. Crow of Utopia was down Wednesday and made a trip to Hondo.

The Next Best Thing to the Pine Forest for Colds is—

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If we believe all the jokes we read there wouldn't be much to women's letters if it wasn't for the postscript, but the man who had to do part of his courting by mail knows that every one of his twenty-five or thirty pages preceding the postscript are chock full of things worth reading.

Two Children Had Croup.

The two children of J. W. Nix, Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar and nothing else and it completely cured them." Contains no opiates. Cuts the phlegm; opens air passages. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

Once in awhile you'll find a politician who is proud of his trade.

STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advice from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die."

I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good.

I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, and quit

taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it.

I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it.

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VERA'S TRUSTEE

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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When Judge Linwood died his large estate was left in trust to his only child, Vera, who, now doubly orphaned, went to live with her aunt, Mrs. Henry Hendrick.

The Hendricks entertained lavishly and spent money recklessly, so that when Henry Hendrick's money vanished, together with most of Vera's fortune, that unfortunate gentleman promptly took himself out of the world, leaving his widow to open a fashionable boarding house in the suburbs.

As for Vera, she had decided to go West and claim possession of the old Golden Eagle mine, which her father had left in trust for her. The western trustee was his old friend, Anthony Burgess, and it was through Anthony Burgess that Vera received the semi-annual dividends which now constituted her sole income.

"But, my dear child," protested Mrs. Hendrick tearfully, "you can't go out there alone! Why, you've never even seen this Burgess man!"

"That he was father's friend speaks sufficiently in his favor, Aunt Emily, and, besides, I shall only stop in Eagle City a short time. There is an excellent hotel there."

"I am afraid to have you travel alone," objected Mrs. Hendrick.

"Nonsense! I am twenty-one, and father trusted me thoroughly. You forget that I once spent six weeks at Eagle City."

"But your father was with you."

"Yes, Aunt Emily, but I shall get along nicely. I thought perhaps that there might be some business connected with the mine that I might learn—that I might become a real business woman—not a drone living on the income father left me. I want to be useful."

"Have your own way, child," sighed the widow plaintively. "I can't say too much, Vera, because my poor Henry's shipload business methods lost your fortune as well as our own. I told your father not to make Henry your trustee. As for the other trustee—have you ever seen Mr. Burgess?"

"He was in Mexico when father and I were in Eagle City."

"I hope he is trustworthy?" was Mrs. Hendrick's final remark.

Eagle City basked in the warmth of an Indian summer day. Vera loved the fresh, sweet mountain air and the low-lying haze reddened by the sun.

"Burgess?" repeated the lantern-jawed stage driver as Vera made inquiries. "Anthony Burgess? Oh, he lives over beyond the mountain."

"How shall I reach his place?"

"Stopping in the city?"

"Yes; take me to the best hotel, please."

"That will be Mrs. Lizzie Smith's, ma'am. To get to Burgess' you'll have to get a boss. Can you ride?"

"Oh, yes."

"Then going will be easy. A good boss will take you and most anybody will pilot out the trail to the Golden Eagle. I suppose you've heard of this lucky strike there?"

"No. Do you mean that they have discovered more gold?"

"That's right. Struck the richest vein ever found hereabouts. Seems it's faded out in Burgess' own mine, the Double Eagle, and the lead has been uncovered in the Golden Eagle. There's been a regular stampede for these parts in the past week."

"And the new discovery has made Mr. Burgess poor?" asked Vera.

"Almost. He wasn't expecting it, you see, ma'am, and he's been laying out a lot of money on his own mine; he's trustee for some folks back East, who own the Golden Eagle. If he was anything except the straightest man God ever made he could help himself out of the Golden Eagle and nobody would ever be the wiser."

Vera was thoughtful the rest of the day. She spent a restful night at Mrs. Smith's homelike hotel, and the next day she hired a horse to ride over the mountain.

"You'll not want to go alone, honey," admonished Mrs. Smith.

Vera displayed the little six-shooter which her father had taught her to use.

"I am not afraid," she laughed, and rode away.

Down the street she met the stage driver; he pulled in his steaming horses and held up a warning hand.

"Not going over the mountain alone, are you?" he asked.

"Yes. I am not afraid," she assured him.

"There's likely to be rough characters about," he warned her. "It's pay day at the Golden Eagle and there's a rumor that some of the Rio gang are going to hold up the paymaster. You better wait till tomorrow."

"But someone had better warn the paymaster," protested Vera.

"Burgess has been warned, but he ain't the kind to heed such a warning; he don't know what fear is, doggone him!" And the stage rumbled on.

Vera followed the trail winding up through the hills. She did not meet anyone, and although her surefooted pony sometimes stopped and sniffed curiously at the underbrush or leaped up rocks along the way, she could not guess that the animal instinctively knew that there were men lurking, ambushed, waiting for the paymaster of the Golden Eagle.

At last she glimpsed a dark, evil face as it disappeared behind a rock, and she was glad that she could command her features so that the man could not guess she had seen him.

She must go back along the way

she had come and warn the paymaster of the impending danger. Yet the men in ambush must not know that she was suspicious.

She swung her pony about and hummed a gay little tune as she rode down the trail; she talked to the pony in bantering accents.

"Oh, Nicodemus Alexander," she sighed, "I could remain on this mountainside all day and admire the view, but you must get me back to town for dinner; I'm hungry."

So she rode back along the downward trail, hoping to meet the paymaster at the round of every curve in the road.

At last, far below, she glimpsed a black horse flying along the trail and a rider who seemed part of his beautiful mount.

"He doesn't ride like an old man," she thought with quickening pulses. "Perhaps he is one of the Rio gang."

Far down the mountain side she met the rider, a tall, sun-browned man, whose saddlebags were well filled. He looked curiously at her as she approached.

"Are you Mr. Burgess?" she asked breathlessly.

"Yes," he smiled, sweeping off his hat.

"And you are paymaster of the Golden Eagle?"

He looked sharply at her.

"Why do you ask that?" he demanded bluntly.

"Because you are in danger—they are waiting for you up yonder—" and hastily she told him of the evil face she had seen and of the warning uttered by the stage driver.

"I was warned," he admitted, "but I didn't take much stock in it—they've been threatening to hold me up for the past year. I've got to get the money to the boys—they'll be rioting if they don't get it," he ended ruefully.

"Can't you transfer the money to my saddlebags and let me follow you up the trail? Then if they want you to throw up your hands, you can, and before they discover that your bags are empty I can ride on to the mine. They won't hurt you?" she asked anxiously.

"No—all they want is the money," he assured her. "But I can't permit you to endanger your life."

"It's for my own interests," she said calmly. "I am Vera Linwood."

"Vera Linwood—why, Miss Linwood, I was going East next week to see you. The Golden Eagle has developed another rich vein."

"And the Double Eagle has lost one," she said significantly.

"You know, then?"

"I heard yesterday and I am so sorry—I feel like a robber myself—the owner of a pirate mine!"

"That's mine's luck. Come, let us get along, if we must. Just put these packages in your saddlebags—so, and I'll stuff mine with grass. Ride on ahead and don't worry. It will come out all right!" He slapped her pony's flank and mounted his black and followed.

When Vera passed the ambush she was talking to her pony as before.

"Once more, Nicodemus Alexander!" she threatened. "I will ride to the top of the hill; then down again for dinner!" She passed the ambush and waited breathlessly around the bend of the trail. Somewhere near by she heard the pounding of the ore-crushers and she knew that she was near the mines.

Below she heard the tread of Burgess' horse, followed by a sharp command, a momentary silence, and then the murmur of other voices. The hold-up had happened and they were going through the mine owner's pockets and searching his saddlebags for the Golden Eagle's pay roll.

Nicodemus Alexander was smitten with indignation surprise when his rider suddenly jabbed her sharp heel into his flank.

He bounded up the trail, his boots scattering the stones underfoot. In a flurry of dust, horse and rider appeared at the office of the Golden Eagle.

A dozen men surrounded Vera.

"Mr. Burgess—held up—help him," she gasped, and tumbled from her pony.

There was a shout of anger as the miners grabbed their weapons and dashed down the trail to meet the paymaster.

Vera leaned dazedly against the office door and stared at the blood trickling down the sleeve of her white blouse.

"Someone must have fired at me," she smiled faintly.

"The plucky little angel!" exclaimed one roughly dressed man as he led her inside the building.

Weeks afterward Mrs. Henry Hendrick reread a letter from Vera. It was dated from Eagle City.

"Dear Aunt Emily," wrote Vera, "I will be home in another week—and I shall bring my husband with me. Don't faint, poor, dear auntie; he is the most splendid man. You can never guess, so I must tell you that I am marrying Anthony Burgess, the son of father's old friend, my trustee. The trusteeship has been transferred to young Anthony because his father is dead, and Anthony says it is perfectly natural that we should have met and loved and married, for now he can continue the trusteeship forever. And, best of all, you are to give up the boarding house and return here with us, if you will, for the Golden Eagle has developed wonderful riches, and Anthony's mine has a new vein of gold and we are all going to be very rich indeed. And Anthony wants me to add a postscript that we are rich in each other and richer in happiness than all the gold in the world could supply!"

BEST WAYS TO COOK BACON

Meat Is Too Frequently Wasted Because Insufficient Thought Is Bestowed Upon It.

Bacon is an extravagant article in the list of cooking materials because of its increased price and the fact that often twice as much as is needed is used for garnishing other foods.

This delectable meat will probably never be low-priced again, yet it will always be a great addition to the menu, so that to know the best ways of using it without waste is a necessity if one is to cook well.

The drippings from bacon are the best sort of shortening for cookies and everyday pastry; therefore, every bit of the fat that renders out in cooking should be strained and saved for such uses. This reduces the first cost of the meat very much, for the shortening bill has soared with the price of pork.

All left-over bacon makes excellent seasoning for meat loaves and may be nicely browned for garnishing by being dipped into egg batter and then into fine crumbs and placed in a hot oven, on a bacon rack, until golden brown.

If you have never broiled bacon on a rack you have a culinary treat in store, for even inferior bacon becomes fine tasting when broiled so and best bacon delicious. Any wire broiler or oven rack may be used; the slices are spread out, just touching, not covering, one another, on it and placed over a dripping pan in a hot oven.

Sometimes bacon is as salty as salt can make it and requires soaking in hot water after it is cut; after such treatment the salt is not too apparent.

The best of sausage can be made at home with the following ingredients: One pound of veal, one pound of fresh pork, one cupful of bacon chopped and one cupful of cracker crumbs. Grind the veal and pork fine, add crumbs and bacon, seasoning of pepper and sage with little salt, as the bacon supplies this. Grind the mixture again and shape into cakes and fry. Cold meat of any sort may be used in place of the veal.

GOOD LUNCHEON FOR CHILD

Delicacies the Youngster Will Appreciate and That Will Keep Him in Best of Health.

Fairy Apples.—Pare and core enough tart cooking apples to fill a baking dish; cover them with sugar and put a little cold water in the dish, also several slices of lemon and two cloves. Then pour a little melted butter over the apples and bake them until tender. Serve them cold, with a blob of fruit jelly put on the top of each and whipped cream about them.

Ambrosia.—This delicious dessert could be an occasional treat, as it is rather troublesome to make. It requires grated coconut, sliced oranges and bananas, sugar and a wee taste of lemon juice. Fill a dish with layers of the different fruits, putting sugar over each one, and continue in this way until the ingredients are all in. Let the dish "blend" while in a cool place before serving. Fresh coconut is needed, and if the milk of the fruit is sweet this may be added to the dessert.

Brown Sugar Sandwiches.—For the children incessantly craving sweets brown sugar is an excellent thing to keep in the house. Spread it thickly on buttered white bread, and put the slices together so as to make narrow sandwiches.

Quick Ginger-Cake Pudding.—Get any sort of small or large ginger or molasses cakes from the grocer and cover them with a custard made of boiling hot milk into which several eggs are beaten up. Pour the milk gradually into the eggs, stirring vigorously all the while; sweeten and pour over the cakes, allowing them to stand until they have "drunk" up a good deal of the custard. Serve warm or cold.

Apple Pudding.—Pare and core one-half dozen not very tart apples. Butter a granite saucepan and set in apples with very little water. Add one cupful of sugar, two tablespoonsful of brandy and a dash of nutmeg. Put over a slow fire, cover and let simmer without cooking hard till apples are tender. Take up when done, being careful not to break them, and set away to cool, pouring over them the sirup in which they were cooked. When quite cold and ready to serve put in a glass dish, sprinkle them over with fine macaroon crumbs and send to table.

Pressed Flank of Beef.—Wipe, remove superfluous fat and roll a flank of beef; put in a kettle, cover with boiling water and add one teaspoonful salt, one-half teaspoonful peppercorns, a bit of bay leaf and a bone or two which may be at hand; cook slowly until meat is in shreds. There should be but little liquor in the kettle when meat is done. Arrange meat in deep pan, pour over liquor, cover and press with a heavy weight. Serve cold, thinly sliced.

Orange Drink.—Orange juice can be made to serve as a most delicious drink if only a little thought and time be spent upon it. Serve chilled in tall glasses, with some diced banana, a grapefruit cut and seeded, a bit of pineapple or any seasonable fruit.

To Wash Silk Lace.—Silk lace should be soaked in milk over night, then washed in warm soap-suds. Rinse and pin out smooth on a clean ironing board until dry. Do not iron it.

Birth Registration.

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Then register your baby's birth.

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To Our Subscribers.

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FLETCHER DAVIS, Editor.

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2-mo. T. J. NEUMAN.

Notice.

This is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts made by my wife, Carrie L. Hardt.

H. G. HARDT.

Persimmon Pudding.

One-half gallon good, ripe persimmons, strained through a colander, with one-half gallon of sweet milk, one teaspoonful soda, one teaspoonful nutmeg, two eggs well beaten, one quart flour or enough to make batter consistency of cake batter, butter size of an egg, one and one-half teaspoonfuls sugar, one good-sized sweet potato grated and one teaspoonful salt. Bake one hour.

Custard and Spinach.

Boil a quart of spinach in salted water until tender and press dry, setting aside until cold. Beat two eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt and gradually a pint of hot milk, stirring well. Add the finely chopped spinach and cook in hot water until firm. Cut in cubes when cold and serve as a garnish with clear soup.

Round Steak, Spanish Style.

Broil round steak until nicely browned on both sides; pour into a frying pan one can of tomatoes, one teaspoonful salt, one-fourth teaspoonful pepper, one grated onion and one teaspoonful of table sauce; cook slowly in oven until meat is done, or about half an hour; remove meat to hot platter and surround with sauce.

Corn Fritters.

Cut from the ears a pint of green corn. Beat together a cupful of milk, two tablespoonsful of melted butter, one egg whipped light, salt to taste and enough flour to make a thin batter. Into this stir the grated corn. Beat hard and cook, as you would griddle cakes, upon a soapstone griddle.

To Make Potatoes Fluffy.

When mashing potatoes always use boiling, not cold milk. Beat hard and the potatoes will be light and fluffy.

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IN

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Avoid All Substitutes

Epworth League Program.

Sunday, Oct. 31, 1915.
Leader—Mr. Selby Woolls.
Piano—Voluntary by pianist.
Lord's Prayer by all, standing.
Hymn.
Psalm CX, read responsively.
Sentence Prayers.
Scripture lesson, Mark VI, 34-42; Luke, X 1-2.
Leader's Talk.
Topics, "Look, Follow, Shine,"—by three leaguers.
Topics, "Resolve"—by Miss Annie Callahan.
Hymn, No. 402.
Prayer.
Subtopic—"Team"—by Louis Carter.
Announcements.
League Benediction.

Program for Junior League.

Sunday, 3 P. M.
Leader—Earl Lacy.
Bible reading, Exodus 2, 2-10.
Bible story—Elizabeth Fly.
Song.
Prayer.
Among the Mexicans in San Antonio—Selma Stiegler.
Bible questions.
Reading, Around the world with Jack and Janet.
Song.
Benediction.
Answer roll call with Bible verse.

To The Public.

On account of being unable to satisfactorily dispose of my dairy business, I have decided to continue the business indefinitely. I have purchased more cows and have sufficient milk to fill all orders, and will be in a position to supply all butter and butter milk calls in a short time. Thanking my customers for their past favors and soliciting future patronage on the promise of pure dairy products and a square deal, I am,

Sincerely yours,
TOM HEATH.

Posted.

Our pastures are posted according to law, no hunting or fishing allowed therein.

34-8mo.
WILLIE AND ALFRED SCHLENTZ.

Read the advertisements.

T. B. C. Club.

The T. B. C. girls met with Miss Johanna Kothe last Wednesday at the "big white house on the hill." As we didn't brave the rails and new ploughed fields this time. However, if some of us hadn't stopped to read the paper and dropped off to sleep, thereby losing all our energy we would have sure enough waded "agin'!"

But we had so much to talk about and plan cause the "old goblins" were soon be comin' around and this being the first Halloween we T. B. C. girls have witnessed (as a club) we were naturally a tiny bit excited as well as frightened. But mind you, our needles were busy too, cause we are an industrious bunch—even if we like to talk.

After we had finished our plans at sewing, our hostess served a delicious salad course with iced tea.

Those present were: Misses Mary Kempf, Lola Buchanan, Pearl Newton, Beattie Mae Chancey, Sylvia Hahn, Lizzie Schuchle, Mesdames E. B. Moffield, P. L. Crain and the hostess.

CONTRIBUTOR.

Notice!

The undersigned ginners are unable to comply with the Warehouse and Marketing Law of Texas, and therefore will not gin any wet cotton and if it be found after ginning to be commenced on a bale that the cotton is wet, damp, rotten or otherwise damaged such fact must be stated on slips of samples taken out. Further an additional charge of 15 cents per bale will be made to cover extra expense for taking the samples. Further, we authorize all cotton buyers to collect all unpaid gin tolls when purchasing cotton and settling for same.

Respectfully,

MRS. J. W. HOLLOWAY,
Per Clyde Holloway,
FARMER'S UNION CO-OP. GIN CO.
Per A. B. Brucks, Sec.
HONDO GIN & MILLING CO.
By G. Muehnik.

Sweet Potatoes.

Sugared yellow yams, \$1.00 per bushel; German white potatoes, 50¢ per bushel. Phone 200, L. Barnette & Sons.

FULWOOD'S CABBAGE PLANTS

HIGH GRADE—FROST PROOF

My plants are well hardened, strong and healthy. I guarantee prompt, quick, and delivery, and ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION.

Early Jersey Wakefield (the earliest cabbage grown), Charleston Large Type Wakefield (the most earliest), Bostoner (the earliest, six head variety), Short Green (the largest and best), and many others. By mail (post paid) 50¢ for \$1.00, 10¢ for 50¢, 25¢ for 50¢, 50¢ for 1.00, 1.00 for 2.00, 2.00 for 4.00, 4.00 for 8.00, 8.00 for 16.00, 16.00 for 32.00, 32.00 for 64.00, 64.00 for 128.00, 128.00 for 256.00, 256.00 for 512.00, 512.00 for 1024.00, 1024.00 for 2048.00, 2048.00 for 4096.00, 4096.00 for 8192.00, 8192.00 for 16384.00, 16384.00 for 32768.00, 32768.00 for 65536.00, 65536.00 for 131072.00, 131072.00 for 262144.00, 262144.00 for 524288.00, 524288.00 for 1048576.00, 1048576.00 for 2097152.00, 2097152.00 for 4194304.00, 4194304.00 for 8388608.00, 8388608.00 for 16777216.00, 16777216.00 for 33554432.00, 33554432.00 for 67108864.00, 67108864.00 for 134217728.00, 134217728.00 for 268435456.00, 268435456.00 for 536870912.00, 536870912.00 for 1073741824.00, 1073741824.00 for 2147483648.00, 2147483648.00 for 4294967296.00, 4294967296.00 for 8589934592.00, 8589934592.00 for 17179869184.00, 17179869184.00 for 34359738368.00, 34359738368.00 for 68719476736.00, 68719476736.00 for 137438953472.00, 137438953472.00 for 274877906944.00, 274877906944.00 for 549755813888.00, 549755813888.00 for 1099511627776.00, 1099511627776.00 for 2199023255552.00, 2199023255552.00 for 4398046511104.00, 4398046511104.00 for 8796093022208.00, 8796093022208.00 for 17592186044416.00, 17592186044416.00 for 35184372088832.00, 35184372088832.00 for 70368744177664.00, 70368744177664.00 for 140737488355328.00, 140737488355328.00 for 281474976710656.00, 281474976710656.00 for 562949953421312.00, 562949953421312.00 for 1125899906842624.00, 1125899906842624.00 for 2251799813685248.00, 2251799813685248.00 for 4503599627370496.00, 4503599627370496.00 for 9007199254740992.00, 9007199254740992.00 for 18014398509481984.00, 18014398509481984.00 for 36028797018963968.00, 36028797018963968.00 for 72057594037927936.00, 72057594037927936.00 for 144115188075855872.00, 144115188075855872.00 for 288230376151711744.00, 288230376151711744.00 for 576460752303423488.00, 576460752303423488.00 for 1152921504606846976.00, 1152921504606846976.00 for 2305843009213693952.00, 2305843009213693952.00 for 4611686018427387904.00, 4611686018427387904.00 for 9223372036854775808.00, 9223372036854775808.00 for 18446744073709551616.00, 18446744073709551616.00 for 36893488147419103232.00, 36893488147419103232.00 for 73786976294838206464.00, 73786976294838206464.00 for 147573952589676412928.00, 147573952589676412928.00 for 295147905179352825856.00, 295147905179352825856.00 for 590295810358705651712.00, 590295810358705651712.00 for 1180591620717411303424.00, 1180591620717411303424.00 for 2361183241434822606848.00, 2361183241434822606848.00 for 4722366482869645213696.00, 4722366482869645213696